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## CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

In Ardmore more little girls are learning a life and are unencumbered by books or chores. In school terms have come during the holiday season. A notable instance of kindness happened in Pensacola, Fla., in that city a campaign has been waged for a number of years to teach girls about the value of saving. These children were taught to save their pennies and their pennies and a representative of a savings bank made regular visits to the homes of the children and accepted their deposits. But during the holiday season the bank failed and the children's savings aggregating \$16,000 were jeopardized. H. C. Fries, the steel magnate, and a brother to the Mr. Fries of the Fries Steel Company of the Houston made, asked for a statement of the account of every child, and will make the amount good in cash. The children will not lose and the incident serves to make the world feel closer to each individual. Pennsylvanians may also learn the lesson of state guarantee of deposits.

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## PRESTON McGODWIN

A cheerful Christmas card from far away Venezuela, in South America, has found its way to the Ardmoreite. It is from Preston McGoodwin, the American minister to that country, and his wife. Mr. McGoodwin was formerly managing editor of the Oklahoman and was appointed under the Wilson administration. He has proven himself to be an important factor in bringing the countries of South America and the United States closer together. He has obtained as many as nine schools, which depict American culture to young men of South America and is working to add to this number from year to year. The culture now takes their services to take them around to business and in the professions and with pleasure to do with the policy of the government. By inducing immigrants to the normal schools of young men of that country to finish their education in the United States, Mr. McGoodwin is building up a credit that will last for centuries.



We desire to extend  
Greetings of the season  
to our customers

May your lot  
During the coming year  
Be one of  
Happiness — and Prosperity



## NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS

Surely all the resolutions you have made are good ones. New Year's resolutions are often made with the best of intentions, but they are not always carried out every day of the coming year. You can make resolutions that you will not eat overcooked food, eat too much butter, etc., but the resolutions are often forgotten. The best resolutions are those that are well thought out and carried out.

Because over the last few years we have seen many new things in general and new movements and new and well known ideals, yet it is a new year, leading to new pastures. New ideas and new movements will not cease at any time but at some point in the year, bringing new year. These movements will affect us all and with happiness in life and hope in the new year to transient persons. Every new year brings the hope of new life, new hope, and the upper hand. While we look at the future all are destined to bring New Year resolutions to be carried forward, yet the first month of a new year always brings a decided crop of social reform.

## A PROGRESSIVE MOVEMENT

The temperance in 1909, the national labor social center, is needed in the country more than it is needed in the country more than it is needed. It must still remain to be the idea of independent Republicans and the Anti-Saloon League. Pictures are maturing over to unite the masses and the people closer together. The same idea

that a girl or boy must obtain all of education in youth and if not in youth, then never as being destroyed.

Educational opportunity always stands ready to be accepted by any person who is willing to receive that no

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